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**Sent:** Thur 9/24/2015 9:40:02 PM  
**Subject:** Fwd: HAND ALLOWANCE 15-444-EW  
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All, please proceed with obligating the funding authorized in the attached hand allowance. \$1 million will go to START for the Post Incident Monitoring Strategy (Steve Merritt/Joyce) and the remainder (\$471,409.96) to ERRS of which \$200K should be issued in a separate TO for preparation for the congressional hearing. The remainder, Kerry, should go to ERRS for mine site stabilization. Thank you - lw

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Walton, Edna" <Walton.Edna@epa.gov>  
**Date:** September 24, 2015 at 3:19:57 PM MDT  
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Attached is Hand Allowance 15-444-EW, which issues FY14 Superfund 8A Removal contract funds in support of Gold King Mine. Please be sure these funds are obligated by 9/30/2015. If you have any questions, give me a call. Thanks.

Edna Walton

303-312-6130

**From:** R8printer@epa.gov [mailto:R8printer@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 24, 2015 3:20 PM

**To:** Walton, Edna

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## HAND ALLOWANCE 15-444-EW

Consider This As Authority To Spend

This Hand Allowance issues funds to **ECOSYSTEM PROTECTION & REMEDIATION** for the following:

ISSUANCE OF FY14 SUPERFUND REMOVAL CONTRACT FUNDS FROM HQ RESERVES TO SUPPORT THE RESPONSE TO THE GOLD KING MINE RELEASE.

Amount: \$99.68  
Account Number: 2014 T 8AL0E 303DC6  
BOC: 37 AH: 8A

ISSUANCE OF FY14 SUPERFUND REMOVAL CONTRACT FUNDS FROM HQ RESERVES TO SUPPORT THE RESPONSE TO THE GOLD KING MINE RELEASE.

Amount: \$1,471,310.28  
Account Number: 2014 TD 8AL0E 303DC6  
BOC: 37 AH: 8A

Note: Please remember we no longer use Activity Codes. Therefore, PRCs should be 6 characters or 9 characters. The PRC will be 9 characters if you are using an extended PRC with a program project (i.e. 202B06XP1).

  
Ben Bielenberg

  
Date

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